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#### REPLY TO NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

In reply to the Notice of Allowance that was mailed in connection with the abovecaptioned application on July 29, 2005 and having confirmation number 7464 enclosed are:

A completed fee transmittal form PTOL-85;

A check for \$730.00 to cover the issue fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.18(a) of \$700.00, and the patent copy fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.19(a)(1)(i) of \$30.00 for ten patent copies; and

An amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312.

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# REPLY TO NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY

In reply to the Notice of Allowability that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned case on July 29, 2005, and with reference to the Notice of Allowance that was mailed on July 29, 2005, having confirmation number 7464, Applicants note that claim 17 was inadvertently omitted from the listing of allowed claims in the Notice of Allowability, which included claims 1, 2, 10-13, 16, 40, 55, 56, 58, and 59. Applicant respectfully requests that this error be corrected. An Amendment After Allowance Under 37 C.F.R. 1.312 is being filed concurrently to address this issue.

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# AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.312

In reply to the Notice of Allowability mailed July 29, 2005, and with reference to the Notice of Allowance mailed July 29, 2005 having confirmation number 7464, Applicants respectfully request acknowledgment that claim 17 is allowed.